

## Sarasota Police Department Use Of Force Report

**Incident Entered By:** Officer Drusso Martinez - 1790

**Assigned Investigator:** [Incident pending assignment]

### Incident Details

<b>Date Received</b>	<b>Date of Occurrence</b>	<b>Time of Occurrence</b>
3/3/2019	3/3/2019	00:28
<b>Record ID #</b>	<b>Report #</b>	<b>File #</b>
11493	19-013092	U19-0061
<b>Date/Time Entered</b>		
3/3/2019 00:59		

### Incident Summary

On 03/03/2019 at 0024 hrs, I arrived at Dr MLK Jr Way and Noble Ave to assist Officer Harper 1799 during a traffic stop. Upon arriving on scene, I could hear the occupant of the vehicle (Frank McKay) yelling loudly at officers and saying "I ain't getting out the car, give me my fuckin ticket and let me go!". I went to the front passenger side of the vehicle in an attempt to open the front passenger door and unbuckle McKay's seatbelt so officers didn't have to reach across McKay's entire body. After I opened the passenger door and began to lean in, I observed McKay reach underneath his seat very quickly. I went around to the drivers side of the vehicle and assisted officers in removing McKay from the vehicle by grabbing his upper shirt area. Once out of the vehicle, I assisted officers in bringing the subject to the ground by grabbing his upper shoulder/head area. Once on the ground, I attempted to control the subjects head by grabbing his hair due to that being the only thing available, however he was able to move his head upwards and turn towards officers, continuing to remain tense and not comply with officers loud verbal commands to place his hands behind his back. I placed my left knee behind the subject's neck/head area to better hold his head in place and put pressure on his shoulders so officers could place him in handcuffs. No further action was taken on my part.

### Incident Location

• Dr MLK Jr Way/Noble Avenue, Sarasota, FL 34234 - Location of Occurrence: Zone 3 - Precinct: North District

### Use of Force Specific Information

<b>Reason for Use of Force</b>	<b>Service Being Rendered</b>	
Arrest	Traffic Violation	
<b>Weather Condition</b>	<b>Lighting Condition</b>	<b>Distance to Citizen</b>
Clear	Street Lights	0 to 1 foot
<b>Citizen Injured</b>	<b>Citizen Taken to Hospital</b>	<b>Citizen Arrested</b>
No	No	Yes
<b>More than 1 Citizen Involved</b>		
No		
<b>Citizen's Build</b>	<b>Citizen's Height</b>	
Medium	5'7" to 5'9"	
<b>Member Assessment of Citizen Condition During Incident</b>		
Unknown		
<b>Member(s) Injured</b>	<b>Member(s) Taken to Hospital</b>	
No	No	

### Reporting/Involved Citizen Information

Frank Mckay

DOB: 4/22/1978   Race: Black   Ethnicity:   Gender: Male

Address

- 2522 Dr MLK Jr Way, Sarasota, FL 34234

Role

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Types of Resistance Citizen Used Against Member(s)

- Verbal
- Presence
- Passive Physical
- Active Physical

Injuries sustained by this citizen

Injury	Regions	Injury Locations
No injuries noted or visible		

Charges against this Citizen

- Poss of Cocaine
- Resisting Officer W/O Violence

Involved Members

Officer Drusso Martinez - ID #: 1790

Assignment at time of incident: Title: Officer Patrol/Patrol

Video Footage: [No Response]

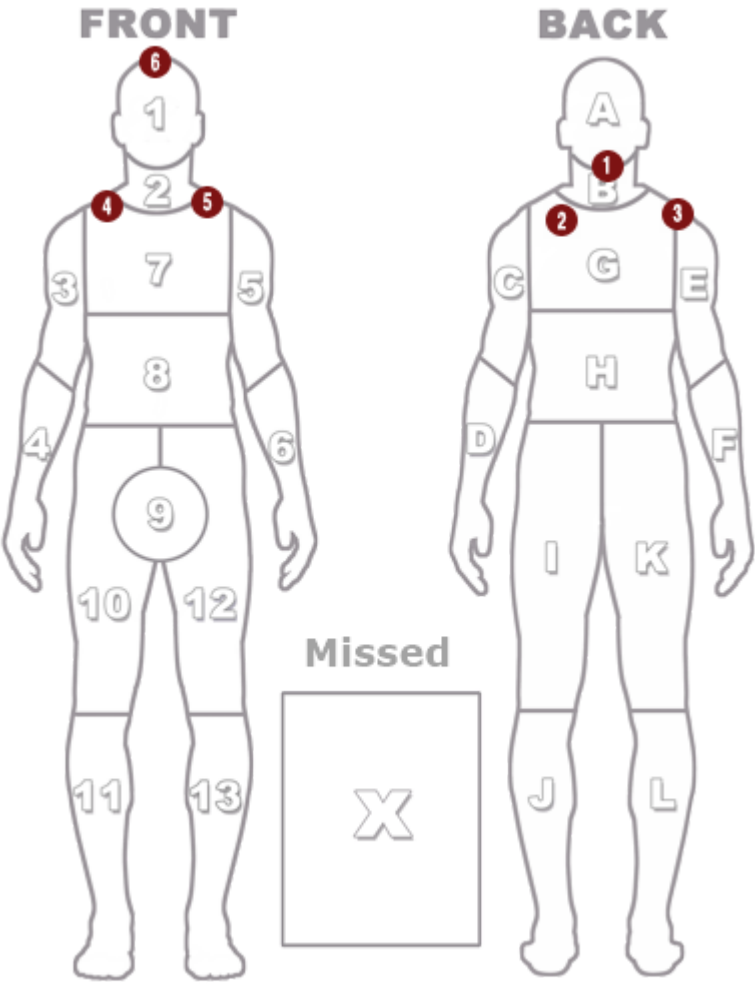
Role

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Force used by this member against the citizen

- Transporters - Was force effective: Yes
- Takedown - Was force effective: Yes

Force Used	Effective?	Regions	Points of contact
Transporters	Yes	A, E, G	1, 2, 3
Takedown	Yes	1, 7	4, 5, 6



Injuries sustained by this officer

Injury	Regions	Injury Locations
No injuries noted or visible		

Member Witnesses

Officer Paul Gagnon - ID #: 1837

Video Footage: [No Response]

Role

Officer Jenna Harper - ID #: 1799

Video Footage: [No Response]

Role

Officer Erick Raulerson - ID #: 1704

Video Footage: [No Response]

Role

## Tasks

No tasks to show

## Running Sheet Entries

No running sheet entries to show

## Attachments

No attachments

## Assignment History

Sent Dt	From	To
3/15/2019	Admin Specialist Renee Gusto	(None Specified)
<b>Assignment notes</b> Field status changed in IAPro from In chain to Released		
<b>Email sent to receiver</b> No email sent		
3/15/2019	Admin Specialist Renee Gusto	(None Specified)
<b>Assignment notes</b> Released back to IAPro		
<b>Email sent to receiver</b> No email sent		

## Chain of Command History

<b>Routing #1</b>	
Sent From:	Officer Drusso Martinez
Sent To:	Sergeant Andrew Combs
CC:	(none)
Sent Date/Time:	3/3/2019 1:25 AM
<b>Instructions from Officer Drusso Martinez to Sergeant Andrew Combs:</b>	
For review.	
<b>Comments/Response from Sergeant Andrew Combs:</b>	
Comments: Services being rendered - traffic stop Force Used - add transporters and indicate on body where you touched subject	
<b>Routing #2</b>	
Sent From:	Sergeant Andrew Combs
Sent To:	Officer Drusso Martinez
CC:	(none)
Sent Date/Time:	3/3/2019 4:15 AM
<b>Instructions from Sergeant Andrew Combs to Officer Drusso Martinez:</b>	
see notes	
<b>Comments/Response from Officer Drusso Martinez:</b>	
Comments:	

[Forwarded by Officer Drusso Martinez]

**Routing #3**

Sent From:	Officer Drusso Martinez
Sent To:	Sergeant Andrew Combs
CC:	(none)
Sent Date/Time:	3/3/2019 3:37 PM

**Instructions from Officer Drusso Martinez to Sergeant Andrew Combs:**

Corrections made.

**Comments/Response from Sergeant Andrew Combs:**

Comments:  
For approval. Case documents attached to Officer Gagnon's UOF report.

**Routing #4**

Sent From:	Sergeant Andrew Combs
Sent To:	Captain Demetri Konstantopoulos
CC:	(none)
Sent Date/Time:	3/3/2019 11:14 PM

**Instructions from Sergeant Andrew Combs to Captain Demetri Konstantopoulos:**

see notes

**Comments/Response from Captain Demetri Konstantopoulos:**

Comments:  
[Forwarded by Captain Demetri Konstantopoulos]

**Routing #5**

Sent From:	Captain Demetri Konstantopoulos
Sent To:	Officer Matthew Hughes
CC:	Chief of Police Bernadette DiPino
Sent Date/Time:	3/5/2019 9:53 AM

**Instructions from Captain Demetri Konstantopoulos to Officer Matthew Hughes:**

The application of force in this case appears reasonable and appropriate.

**Comments/Response from Officer Matthew Hughes:**

Comments:  
[Forwarded by Officer Matthew Hughes]

**Routing #6**

Sent From:	Officer Matthew Hughes
Sent To:	Sergeant Daniel Weinsberg
CC:	(none)
Sent Date/Time:	3/8/2019 9:43 AM

**Instructions from Officer Matthew Hughes to Sergeant Daniel Weinsberg:**

For your review.

**Comments/Response from Sergeant Daniel Weinsberg:**

Comments:  
To be filed.

**Routing #7**

Sent From:	Sergeant Daniel Weinsberg
Sent To:	Admin Specialist Renee Gusto
CC:	Lieutenant Rex Troche
Sent Date/Time:	3/8/2019 1:15 PM

**Instructions from Sergeant Daniel Weinsberg to Admin Specialist Renee Gusto:**

To be filed. Thank you

**Comments/Response from Admin Specialist Renee Gusto:**

Comments:

Routing was NOT handled in BlueTeam. The incident was forwarded into IAPro by IAPro user Admin Specialist  
Renee Gusto

**Assigned Investigator Signature Line**

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[Incident pending assignment]

**Chain of Command Signature Lines**

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Sergeant Andrew Combs

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Officer Drusso Martinez

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Captain Demetri Konstantopoulos

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Officer Matthew Hughes

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Sergeant Daniel Weinsberg

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Admin Specialist Renee Gusto